## EXCHANGE OF PUBLICATIONS

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The American Minister to the Minister of Foreign Affairs

Legation of the United States of America Baghdad, February 16, 1944

No. 22

### EXCELLENCY:

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- Neither Government shall be obliged by this agreement to furnish confidential publications, blank forms, or circular letters which are not of a public nature.
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- This agreement shall not be understood to modify any agreement regarding the exchange of official publications in effect between a department or other instrumentality of one of the Governments and a department or other instrumentality of the other Government.

Upon the receipt of an identical note from Your Excellency, my Government will consider that the foregoing agreement enters into effect.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to Your Excellency the assurances of my highest and most distinguished consideration.

LOY W. HENDERSON

His Excellency

SAYID SUBHI AL-DEFTERI, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Baghdad, Iraq.

#### LIST 1

## Official Publications To Be Furnished Regularly by the Govern-MENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES House Journal Senate Journal Code of Laws and Supplements

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

Annual message to Congress DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Annual Report of the Secretary of Agriculture Farmers' Bulletins Yearbook

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Annual Report of the Secretary of Commerce Bureau of the Census

Abstracts Reports

Statistical Abstract of the United States (annual)

Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce Foreign Commerce (weekly)

Foreign Commerce and Navigation of the United States (annual)

Survey of Current Business (monthly)

Trade Information Bulletins

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE—Continued
National Bureau of Standards
Technical News Bulletin (monthly)
Weather Bureau
Monthly Weather Review

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Annual Report of the Secretary of Labor Bureau of Labor Statistics

Bulletins Monthly Labor Review

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Department of State Bulletin (weekly)
Inter-American Series
Foreign Relations of the United States (annual)
Statutes at Large
Treaty Series

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Annual Report of the Secretary of the Interior

Bureau of Mines
Minerals Yearbook
Fish and Wildlife Service
Bulletins
Investigational Reports
National Park Service
General publications

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Annual Report of the Government of the District of Columbia Annual Report of the Public Utilities Commission

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY
Office of Education
Education for Victory (biweekly)
Public Health Service
Public Health Reports (weekly)
Social Security Board
Social Security Bulletin (monthly)

FEDERAL WORKS AGENCY
Public Roads Administration
Public Roads (monthly)

Interstate Commerce Commission Annual Report

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS
Annual Report of the Librarian of Congress

NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR AERONAUTICS Annual Report with technical reports

NATIONAL ARCHIVES Annual Report

NAVY DEPARTMENT
Annual Report of the Secretary of the Navy
Nautical Almanac Office
American Ephemeris and Nautical Almanac

Office of War Information Victory Bulletin (weekly)

Post Office Department
Annual Report of the Postmaster General

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION Annual Report

Supreme Court United States Reports TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Annual Report on the State of the Finances

Bureau of Internal Revenue

Annual Report of the Commissioner

Bureau of the Mint

Annual Report of the Director

Comptroller of Currency

Annual Report

WAR DEPARTMENT

Annual Report

#### LIST 2

## OFFICIAL PUBLICATIONS TO BE FURNISHED REGULARLY BY THE GOVERN-MENT OF THE KINGDOM OF IRAQ

Iraq Government Gazette (Arabic edition)

Iraq Government Gazette (English edition)

PARLIAMENT

SENATE

Proceedings of the Senate

Digest of the Works of the Committees

CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES

Proceedings of the Chamber of Deputies

Report of the Secretary of the Chamber on the Works of the Permanent Committees

MINISTRY FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Liste des Membres du Corps Diplomatique (List of members of the Foreign Diploma-

tic Corps, published twice a year, Arabic and French) Diplomatic documents

Treaty series and collections

MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
Officials' Register or other governmental directory

Official Register in factories and workshops

Directorate General of Municipalities and Reconstruction

Municipal Bulletin

Maps of Iraq Directorate General of Police

Annual Report

Administration Report of the Iraq Police Annual Report of the Basra Police

The Police-monthly

Directorate General of Propaganda and Publications

All official publications (books, pamphlets, maps, charts, leaflets, etc.)

Directorate General of Air Raid Precaution

Pamphlets, posters, signs, etc. Local Administration Council

Forms, such as W/M/8 for registration

Note on the Administration of the Public Finances of Iraq (Report)

Administration Report of the Revenue Department (Annual)

Report on the Operations of the Revenue Department (Annual)

Municipal budget for the year

Revenue Circular

Department of Customs and Excise

Administrative Report (Bilingual-monthly)

Customs and Excise Circular (Bilingual—monthly)

Foreign Trade Statistics (Bilingual—annual)

Comptroller and Auditor General's Department

Annual Report

Rafidain Bank

Annual estimate, financial accounts, balance sheets, etc.

Agricultural and Industrial Bank of Iraq

Annual estimate, financial accounts, balance sheets, etc.

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MINISTRY OF FINANCE—Continued
    Directorate of Government Press
         Lists of publications issued, etc.
MINISTRY OF JUSTICE
    Administration Report (Annual)
     Compilations of Laws and Regulations, with
         Supplements (published separately in Arabic and English)
         Law Review
    Tapu Department
         Annual Report
MINISTRY OF DEFENSE
    Military Review (quarterly)
General Staff Departments
         Military textbooks and other publications
    Directorate of Civil Aviation
    Pamphlets, posters, etc.
Royal Military College
         Publications
    Military Secondary School
         Publications
MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND WORKS
     Administrative Report (Annual)
     Directorate General of Post and Telegraphs
          Circular
         Director General's Circular
          Telephone Directories
     Directorate General of Iraqi State Railways
         Report on the Administration of the Railways (published separately in Arabic
          and English) (Annual)
Coaching Tariff (list of rate regulations)
          Goods Tariff (freight regulations)
          Travel guide books, pamphlets, leaflets, etc.
          Time tables
    Directorate General of Port and Navigation
          Administration Report on the Port of Basra (published separately in Arabic and
              English)
     Engineering College
          Year books, catalogs, etc.
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
     Annual Report of the Progress of Education (published separately in Arabic and
          English)
     Program of Elementary Education
     Program of Secondary Education
     Educational Missions Regulation
     State Elementary Schools Regulation
     Annual Program of Inter-School Sports
     The New Teacher, Review
     Administration Report
     Directorate General of Education
          Section of Publications
               Textbooks, examination papers, technical journals, etc.
     Directorate General of Antiquities
     Report on the Excavations in Iraq (published separately in Arabic and English)
     Iraqi Museum
          Guide books, art publications, etc.
     Library
          General index, special registers
     Higher Teachers' College
          Year books, catalogs, examination papers, etc.
     Law College
Year books, catalogs, examination papers, etc.
     Institute of Physical Education
          Year books, catalogs, examination papers, etc.
     Secondary Schools
          Year books, catalogs, examination papers, etc.
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MINISTRY OF ECONOMICS
     Annual Report
     Directorate General of Economics
          Principal Bureau of Statistics
          Statistical Abstract (Bilingual)
          Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (Bilingual)
          Questionnaires, forms, etc.
          Reports, statistical summary, and other publications
Iraq Trade Journal and Bulletin of Statistics (Bilingual)
     Directorate General of Agriculture
          Annual Report
          Agricultural leaflets (Bilingual)
Bulletin
          Leaflet
          Memoir (reports or monographic volumes on various subjects)
     Directorate General of Veterinary Affairs
          Annual Report (published separately in Arabic and English)
     Chamber of Agriculture
          Annual reports, statistics, pamphlets, etc.
     Chamber of Commerce
     Review of the Baghdad Chamber of Commerce
     Annual reports, statistics, pamphlets, etc.
     Basra Date Association
          Monthly Accounts
          Minutes, Proceedings
          Dates and the Date Industry in Iraq (Annual)
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL AFFAIRS
     Annual Administration Report
     Directorate General of Health
          Annual Health Report (published separately in Arabic and English)
Compilation of Vital Statistics of Iraq
          Baghdad Health Department Report
     Health Inspectorate General
          Report of the Inspector General of Health Service
     College of Medicine
          Year books, catalogs, examination papers, etc.
     College of Pharmacy
           Year books, catalogs, examination papers, etc.
     School for Health Officials
          Year books, etc.
     School of Nurses
          Year books, catalogs, examination papers, etc.
     School of Midwives
          Year books, catalogs, examination papers, etc.
BAGHDAD WATER BOARD
     Administrative Report
AWQAF ADMINISTRATION
     Annual Report
     Dar-ul-Ulum (Islamic Theological Institute)
          Year book, program examination papers, etc.
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